

## **City of Lafayette Traffic Commission Meeting Minutes**

**September 2, 2008  
Board of Works Room**

**Members Present:** Mike Strauch, Glenn Allen, Dallas Griswold, Leon Dickson, Sallie Fahey, Cindy Murray, Anne Roberts, Ron Campbell, Fred Koning, Bob Foley and Jenny Bonner

**Others Present:**

Tom Vandenberg, Butler, Fairman & Seufert  
Amy Dombkowski, St James  
Randal Strakis, St James  
Janna Minjarez, St James  
Cheryl Norris Chapman, St. James  
Angie Dexter, St James

President Strauch called the meeting to order.

Mr. Campbell moved to approve the minutes for the May 8, 2008 meeting, Mrs. Murray seconded. The motion passed by unanimous voice vote.

### **Old Business**

Mr. Vandenberg, Buetler, Fairman & Seufert presented a Safety Analysis with recommendations for Ferry Street from 11<sup>th</sup> to Sheridan Road. Discussion ensued. Mrs. Fahey moved to pass the following recommendations. **1.** A “Cross Traffic Does Not Stop” signs be installed at 11<sup>th</sup> St on the northbound and southbound Stop sign poles. **2.** Parking be removed from the south side of Ferry Street from 10<sup>th</sup> Street to 11<sup>th</sup> Street. **3.** Parking be removed from the south side of Ferry Street from half of the block between 11<sup>th</sup> Street and Erie St. Mr. Campbell seconded. The motion passed by unanimous voice vote.

### **New Business**

A request was received from David Garrett stop signs or speed humps of N 24<sup>th</sup> St., Mr. Garrett was not present. Mrs. Bonner stated she had attempted to contact Mr. Garrett with no success. Mrs. Bonner stated she had evaluated the area for improvements and noted they did not meet warrant; however she would continue to try to contact resident. Mrs. Fahey suggested the police department attempt to initiate a bike safety program at neighborhood meetings for children. Mrs. Bonner stated she would contact Dave Payne, Deputy Police Chief regarding this.

Request for Speed Humps N. 8<sup>th</sup> and Cincinnati St. Area

Several parents and staff from the St. James Lutheran School expressed concern regarding the safety of students and teachers that cross 8<sup>th</sup> St and Cincinnati daily basis. Mrs. Minjarez stated they had crosswalks placed last year and speed zone signs but traffic continues to travel these two roads at high rates of speed. The group asks that speed humps be placed at the bottom of Cincinnati St and also on 8<sup>th</sup> St. Discussion ensued and Mrs. Bonner stated she would order a speed study of the area and have a recommendation at the next meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 4:38pm.

Minutes prepared by Sue Scott, Secretary

Complete audio of meeting available in the office of the Lafayette City Clerk

